

**Research, Education, and Economics (REE)**

**National Agricultural Research, Extension, Education, and Economics (NAREEE) Advisory Board**

**National Genetic Resources Advisory Council (NGRAC) Meeting Agenda**

**August 21, 2024**

- 1:00 pm – 1:10 pm ET** Welcome, Roll Call, Quorum Check, Agenda review,  
Meeting minutes – Ms. Kate Lewis
- VOTE -- July 2024 NGRAC meeting minutes – Ms. Michele Simmons
- 1:10 – 1:15** Report/Remarks from the Chair – NPGS Webinar - Jim McFerson
- 1:15 – 1:55** Current Business
- Work Product – NPGS Crop Vulnerability Report  
Status - NAREEE Board approved in EXECOM meeting Tues 8/6/24
- Work Product - Deployment Document - Final draft (18)  
Status - Discussion and VOTE on approval
- Work Product - Tribal Document  
Status - Update
- Work Product - FY22/23 – NGRAC’s recommendations for the NPGS Plan  
Status - Forwarded to OSEC in Feb 2023; OSEC acknowledged in Sept 2023
- USDA Pipeline - Status of NPGS Plan response from ARS? - Drs. Harvey Blackburn and Gayle Volk
- Work Product - FY22/23 – NGRAC’s 4 reports on Algal; Animal; Microbial; and Native Crop Wild Relative Genetic Resources  
Status - Forwarded to OSEC in Feb 2023; OSEC acknowledged in Sept 2023
- USDA Pipeline Step - Status of reports/ recommendations from ARS? - Drs. Harvey Blackburn and Gayle Volk
- Annual meeting draft agenda review
- 2:00 pm ET** Adjourn
- Reminders:
- Approved meeting minutes may be found [here](#)
  - Recurring NGRAC meetings will take place the third Wednesday of each month
  - Next meeting: Wed 9/18/24, 1–2 pm ET